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Docket No. KRAU07

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Peter B. Kraus

Serial No. 10/712,651 Examiner: Paumen, Gary F.  
Filed: November 12, 2003 Group Art Unit: 2833  
For: CABLE PLUG CONNECTOR

Date: October 20, 2004

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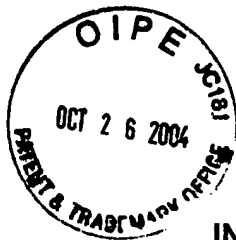
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 22, 2004, please amend the application as follows.

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